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Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing

2000 hours, July 25, 2020



'Firenado' spotted as Hog fire continues to burn in Northern California.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



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72 Hour STAC Report**

- Next report on 07/27/20

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Regional EOC	Coastal Regional EOC	Southern Regional EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Executive Order N-33-20**

On 03/19/20, the California State Public Health Officer and Director of the California Department of Public Health ordered all individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence, except as needed to maintain Continuity of Operations of the Federal critical infrastructure sectors.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 03/19/20, the U.S. Department of State issued a Global Health Advisory at Level 4 (Do Not Travel) due to the global impact of COVID-19.

- **FEMA-4482-DR-CA**

On 03/22/20, President Trump approved Major Declarations FEMA-4482-DR-CA (DR-4482) for the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 07/25/20 at 2200 hours:

- 16,061,098 (+271,390) total confirmed cases in 213 countries
- 644,995 (+5,947) total deaths

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 07/25/20 at 2200 hours:

- 4,099,310 (+74,818) total confirmed cases
- 145,013 (+1,145) total deaths

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 07/25/20 at 2200 hours:

- 445,400 (+10,572) total confirmed cases

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See COVID-19 slides
- See Fire Activity slides

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See COVID-19 slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See COVID-19 slides

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2020-FIRE-36526

- FEMA US&R "White" IST, consisting of 12 overhead positions from California, deployed to Kona and is staging in Koloa for Tropical Cyclone Douglas and the potential impacts to the Hawaiian Islands.
- CA-TF 2 (Los Angeles County Fire Department) Type 3 US&R Task Force, consisting of 40 personnel, arrived in Kona and is staging in Koloa for potential impacts from Tropical Cyclone Douglas.
- CA-TF 7 (Sacramento Fire Department) Type 4 US&R Task Force, consisting of 22 personnel, have been activated to deploy to Honolulu, Oahu, for potential impacts from Tropical Cyclone Douglas.

2020-FIRE-35725

- 1 Type I CNG helicopter with MEDEVAC capabilities pre-positioned for the State

2019-FIRE-402

- Personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in Cal Fire Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey, and Fresno/Kings.
 - Five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials.
 - 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
 - Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 Crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU)

CA-ONC-000017

- Two (2x) California based C-130 MAFFS air tankers have been federalized through a request from National Interagency Fire Center to the US Department of Defense. MAFFS 4 and MAFFS 6, with support personnel from the 146th Airlift Wing / Channel Islands Air National Guard Station (California Air National Guard), are to position at McClellan Airfield, CA, in support of wildland fire operations throughout the Western United States.



FIRE ACTIVITY

COVID-19 Missions

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

July Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

Location: Hwy 139 x County Rd 91, Canby

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Lava Beds N.P, Modoc N.F

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/25/20 at 1911 hours:

- 14,107 acres, grass, brush and timber, 30% contained
- Fire behavior remained active overnight on the Caldwell Fire, decreased fire behavior reported on all other fires
- Threat to private timberlands
- Threat to significant historical and cultural areas
- 500 kV transmission lines and high-pressure gas lines threatened
- Incidents within the complex:
 - Caldwell Fire: 8,796 acres, 0% contained
 - Allen Fire: 834 acres, 60% contained
 - Dalton Fire: 2,000 acres, 80% contained
 - Lone Fire: 150 acres, 40% contained
- California Type 2, Team 12 in command
- California Type 1, Team 1 activated to shadow - In brief 7/26

Activations

- Modoc County EOC is activated at a Level 3 (lowest)

Evacuations

Evacuation orders are in place for Lava Beds National Monument and campground in the vicinity of Medicine Lake.

- On 07/25/20 at 1848 hours, a Code Red alert was issued by Siskiyou County SO covering a 13 mile radius. This was followed by deputies driving the area to provide additional notices to campers and residents.

Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County

Location: Hog Flat Reservoir, 10 miles west of Susanville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/25/20 at 1911 hours:

- 9,545 acres, timber, 48% contained
- Structures remain threatened
- Assisting City of Susanville with fire protection services due to power distribution center failure
- Private timberland threatened
- CAL FIRE IMT #3 in command

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)

Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (Continued)

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

FMAG

- An FMAG request was received on 07/19/20 at 2210 hours. After review of the application, the FMAG was placed on hold.

Proclamation

- Lassen County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA for assistance and relief programs, a Gubernatorial Proclamation and a Presidential Declaration.

Evacuations

- West of Junction SR 36 and SR 44
- East of Goumaz Road and Fredonyer Summit
- This includes all roadways and trails accessed by SR 36 and SR 44
- All trails along SR 36 will remain closed
- [Threats exist to 170 residences, Private and Federal Timberlands](#)

Animal Shelter

- Lassen Community College, 478-200 CA-139, Susanville, 96130
 - Small animals are in crates

Critical Infrastructure

- See Situation Summary slide

Missions

- **2020-Inland-36121:** Air Resource Board to provide Air Monitoring Rays
- **CA-LMU-003874: #E307:** MIGU-3 is providing data and landline service to Cal Fire Dispatch in Susanville for Hog Fire due to the power outage and the fiber cut on the Frontier Communications network.
- **2020-SOC-36218:** MIGU-4 is deployed to the prison for data\landline providing communications capabilities.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)

Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County

Location: Hwy. 139 x County Rd. A-2, 5 miles south of Adin

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA/FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/25/20 at 1911 hours:

- 21,643 acres, grass and timber, 45% contained
- Diminished overnight fire activity
- Continued threat to structures
- Repopulation has started where safely possible
- Cultural resources remain threatened
- Commercial timberlands remain threatened
- Willow Creek Campground threatened
- Hwy. 139 closed south of Adin, closure evaluated this morning
- CAL FIRE IMT #4 in unified command with USFS

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Mechanics
- 5 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

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Evacuations

- Zone A - All residents along Hwy 139 from Susanville Road (A-2) south to Termo Grasshopper Road.
- Zone B - Areas south of Ash Valley Road west of Spooner Road, east of Hwy 139, and north of Termo Grasshopper Road.
- Zone C - Areas west of Hwy 139, south of Haydenhill Road, east of Anderson Ranch Road/Dixie Valley Road and north of Long Flat Road.
- Zone G - Area north of Ash Valley Road to Rail Canyon north to the Modoc County line and west to Hwy 139.
- Zone H-1 - Area north of Ash Valley Road at Knox Mountain north to the Modoc County Line and west to Rail Canyon.

Shelters / Evacuation Shelters

- Modoc County in collaboration with the American Red Cross are housing evacuees at the Rim Rock Motel.
 - Overnight Shelter Count: 3 rooms with 3 occupants

FIRE ACTIVITY

Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (Continued)

Road Closures

- SR 139 is closed from the junction of SR 299 to 5.2 mi South of the junction of SR 299

Critical Infrastructure

- See Situation Summary slide

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- No lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity slides.

Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

911 Outage/Remote/Community Isolations

Community Isolation, Soda Springs, Nevada County (Initial)

On 07/25/20 at 0942 hours, AT&T Mobility reported via email and a phone call, a community isolation in Soda Springs, Nevada County Sheriff (Nevada City) affecting users in zip code 95728.

- Time Outage Started: 07/25/20 at 0908 hours
- Estimates Time of Resolution/Restoration: Unknown
- Total Outage Time: TBD
- Jurisdiction Affected: Nevada County Sheriff
- Reason For Outage: Unknown
- Wireless 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: No
- Wireline 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: Yes. 1,239 users
- VoIP 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: No

Service interruption

- None reported.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- A Fire Weather Watch is in effect for portions of Del Norte, Modoc and Siskiyou Counties from Monday morning through Monday evening.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Nothing significant to report.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

07/25/20 - 07/31/20

Saturday-Monday

- Isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms continue across mainly the Sierra through early next week
 - A few stronger storms with localized high wind gusts and brief heavy rain possible
 - A few new fire starts possible due to lightning
 - Additional storms possible across northern coastal CA on Sunday and Monday
- Localized elevated fire weather conditions due to dryness and terrain impacts on wind speeds, especially across northern inland CA
- Moderate heat impacts return across Inland areas of northern CA on Sunday and Monday.

Tuesday-Friday

- Low to moderate heat impacts continue for Southern region
- Localized elevated fire weather conditions due to dryness and terrain impacts on wind speeds
- Otherwise fairly quiet weather for much of next week



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

07/25/20 - 07/31/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds							
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Inland	Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal				
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)		Inland	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern
Heat Risk		Inland/ Southern	N Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

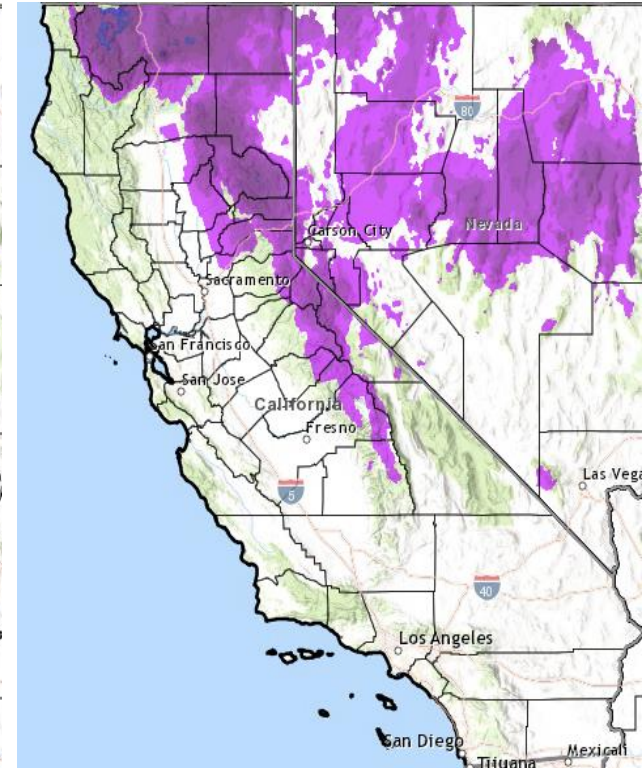
07/25/20 - 07/27/20



Saturday



Sunday



Monday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

07/30/20 - 08/07/20

6-10 Day Outlook (July 30 – August 3)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation expected statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (August 1 – August 7)

Temperatures

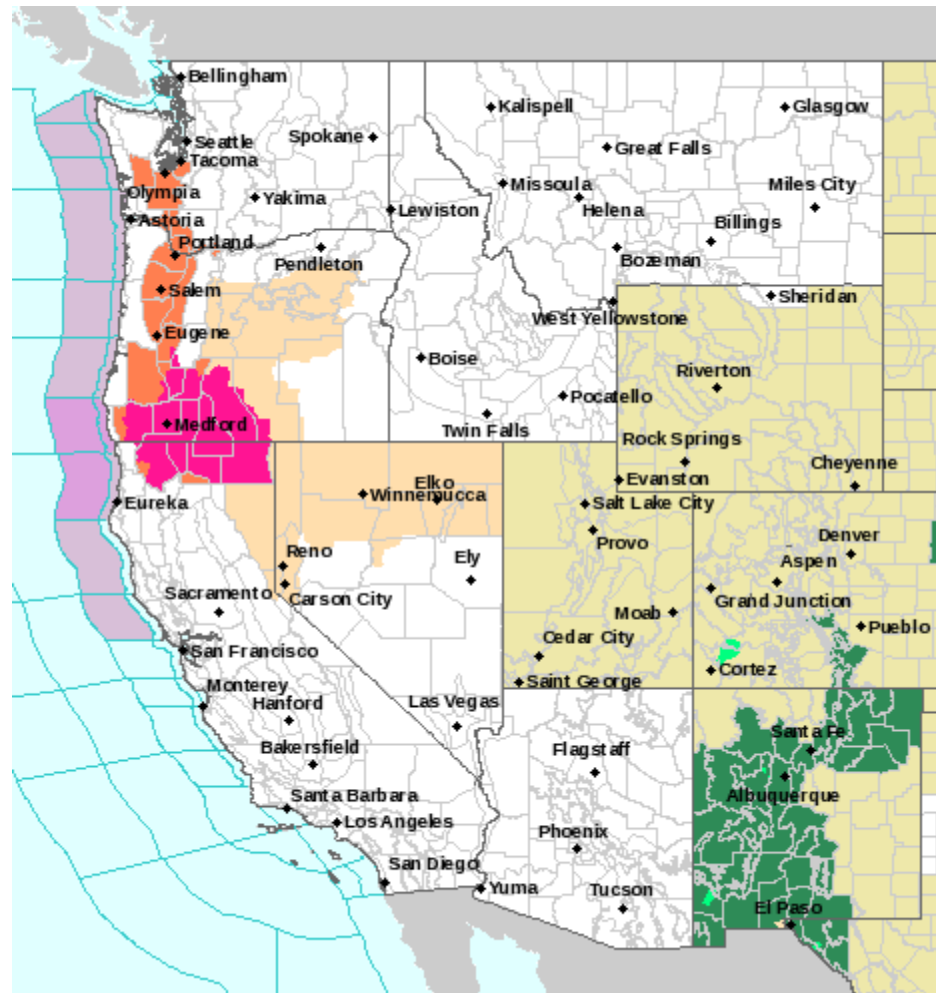
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WEATHER MAP



- [Flash Flood Warning](#)
- [Flood Warning](#)
- [Severe Thunderstorm Watch](#)
- [Flash Flood Watch](#)
- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Hazardous Seas Warning](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2020-LAW-36588, 07/24/20, 1757 hours:** IERCC reporting an inReach activation at coordinates 37.599109, -119.511809, which plots to Yosemite NP (a little west of Buena Vista Lake). Message received from device indicated a 13 year old had a treble hook lodged in his neck. Additional information received that a adult is with the 13 year old along with other juveniles. YNP Dispatch notified and briefed. No other messaging and no responses from the device to follow-up questions. **Update, 07/24/20 1957 hours:** YNP advised they are sending two rangers at 2200 hours, who should arrive to the group on 07/25/20 between 0100-0200 hours. **Update, 07/25/20, 0736 hours:** NPS Dispatch advised the 2 rangers made contact with the group approximately 0300 hours. The plan is to remove the hook, if possible, then evaluate on a course of action. **Update, 07/25/20, 0825 hours:** YNP dispatch advised that they have consulted with the Park doctor and have decided to leave the hook in place until they can get to a facility. The 13 year old is in good shape and will be assisted by rangers to hike out this morning with the entire group. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2020-LAW-35396, 07/09/20, 1630 hours:** El Dorado County Sheriff's Department (EDCSD) is requesting resources to assist in an ongoing attempt to locate an at risk 66 y/o male with a medical condition. EDCSD is requesting (36) ground searchers (28) Type1 (8) Type 2, (8) mounted members, (6) off highway vehicles (ohv), (7) search dog teams (5) area dogs (2) trailing dogs and (1) California National Guard helicopter to assist with transportation of Search and rescue personnel. California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the search dog request. Sacramento, Placer, Amador, Alpine, San Joaquin, Calaveras, San Mateo, Monterey, Santa Cruz, Napa, Alameda, Solano County Sheriff's Departments and Cal/ESAR are responding with ground searchers OHV and mounted units. California National Guard is responding with the air assets. This search will take place at 0700 hrs, on 07/10/2020. Update 07/10/2020, 2130 hrs, M/P not located, EDCSD is requesting additional resources (50) ground searchers type1, 2 and 3. All requests were filled. Update, 07/15/2020, this search will continue with local resources only, all mutual aid resources have been released. Mission Closed. **MISSION REOPENED - Update, 07/23/20, 1700 hours:** EDSO reopening mission and requesting (4) HRD Canines at 0630 hrs. Saturday, 7/25 at the ICP/Staging at Ice House Reservoir Boat Ramp. Cal OES K9 Coordinator contacted to secure resources. **Update, 07/24/20, 0633 hours:** Cal OES K9 Coordinator advised 4 HRD K9's and handlers were secured from CARDA. 0827 hrs., Additional request received from EDSO for cell phone forensics. AFRCC contacted to assist. **MISSION ONGOING**

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

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